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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ENRG, PARM, TECH, JA

SUBJECT: JAPANESE ATTENDANCE AT NUCLEAR SUPPLIERS MARCH 31 MEETING

REF: STATE 62342

1. SCIENCE OFFICER CONTACTED MOFA (TAKAHASHI AND OTA) CONCERNING GOJ ATTENDANCE AT MARCH 31 NUCLEAR SUPPLIERS MEETING PER INSTRUCTIONS REFTEL. MR. KOKI KATO, STA OFFICIAL CURRENTLY ASSIGNED TO SCIENTIFIC AFFAIRS DIVISION, U.N. BUREAU, MOFA, WILL BE ATTENDING MEETING. COUNSELOR ONDA (JAPANESE EMBASSY, LONDON) PLUS ONE OTHER, POSSIBLY COUNSELOR TANAKA (JAPANESE EMBASSY, VIENNA) OR FIRST SECRETARY HAYASHI (JAPANESE EMBASSY, LONDON) WILL ATTEND. SCIENCE OFFICER NOTED THAT DEPARTMENT HAD REQUESTED DELEGATIONS BE KEPT TO MAXIMUM OF THREE PERSONS.

2. TAKAHASHI RAISED QUESTION AS TO PLANNED AGENDA FOR MARCH 31 MEETING, AND ASKED IF EMBASSY HAD ANY INFORMATION ON SPECIFIC TOPICS TO BE ADDRESSED THERE. SCIENCE OFFICER REPLIED IN NEGATIVE AND SUGGESTED THAT THIS SUBJECT BEST HANDLED IN WASHINGTON BETWEEN JAPANESE EMBASSY AND DEPARTMENT. OTA STATED JAPANESE EMBASSY
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EXPECTING TO RECEIVE CERTAIN QUOTE DOCUMENTS UNQUOTE FROM

U.S. SIDE. BOTH STRESSED MOFA WOULD VERY MUCH LIKE TO
RECEIVE AGENDA BY AT LEAST BEGINNING OF NEXT WEEK (MARCH
22) IN ORDER TO PREPARE ITS DELEGATES.

3. TAKAHASHI NOTED THAT GERMANS HAVE INFORMED MOFA THEY
WILL BE PROPOSING THAT TRIGGER LIST ITEM NO. 261, HYDROGEN
SULFIDE COMPRESSORS USED FOR HEAVY WATER PRODUCTION, BE
EXCLUDED FROM TRIGGER LIST. ASSUME GERMANS HAVE ALREADY
MADE INTENTIONS KNOWN TO DEPARTMENT.

4. FYI: AFTER ABOVE MESSAGE DRAFTED, STATE 65423 RECEIVED. THIS
MAY SATISFY GOJ REGARDING PARA 2 ABOVE.
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